



B/-Fw  
Jhu

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 8708

Aftab ALAM

Art Unit: 1653

Application No.: 09/842,838

Examiner: A. Mohamed

Filed: April 27, 2001

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108904-00002

For: AGENT FOR PROTEIN PRECIPITATION, A METHOD OF PROTEIN  
PRECIPITATION, A METHOD OF PROTEIN ASSAY USING PROTEIN  
PRECIPITATION AGENT, AND A KIT FOR PROTEIN ASSAY

**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

**Mail Stop PGPUB Drawings**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Jan. 3, 2005

Sir:

In response to the requirements to file corrected drawings in the Notice of Allowability dated October 4, 2004, enclosed are corrected drawings to be submitted in place of informal drawings filed with the original application. It is respectfully submitted that these corrected drawings overcome the objections to the originally filed drawings.

In the event that this paper is not timely filed, the applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect with this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

ARENT FOX, PLLC

Robert K. Carpenter  
Reg. No. 34,794

1050 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Suite 400  
Washington, D.C. 20036-5339  
Tel (202) 857-6000  
Fax (202) 857-6395  
Enclosure: Figs. 1-10C